

**Thursday 14th - Club Carol Service @ St Mary Le Tower**

Bring your family and friends to our annual Club Carol Service. Mulled wine at the Club followed by a service at St Mary Le Tower Church, then a finger buffet back at the Club. Children are FOC.  
**Mulled wine: 6.45pm. Service 7.15pm.**  
**£14.00 per adult all profits to church**

**Monday 18 - Friday 22nd - Christmas party lunch week**

Celebrate Christmas with a small gathering without the late night with office colleagues or family. Traditional turkey or why not have one of our other dishes from our multi choice menu.

**Bar open 12.00. Lunch 12.30pm. £20.00 per person.**

**Friday 22nd - Christmas Dinner for family and friends**

Book your very own table and enjoy the festivities with all your friends and family. Traditional turkey or why not have one of our other dishes from our multi choice menu.

**Bar open 7.00. Dinner 7.30pm. £32.00 per person.**

**JANUARY**

**Tuesday 9th - Scrabble Evening with Supper**

Test your knowledge at a great fun evening.

**Bar opens 6.30pm with a hot supper (diets catered for).**

**Scrabble to follow.**

**Entry including supper is £12.00 with a prize for the winner.**

**Thursday 11th - Speakers Lunch**

Lighthouse Women's Aid is a charitable organisation based in Ipswich providing emotional support to women and their children experiencing domestic abuse in their personal or family relationships.

**Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm. £15.00 per person.**

**Thursday 11th - Club Quiz Night**

Come and join us for a great fun night with a team or we will create one for you. Including hot supper. Prize for the best team.

**Bar opens 7.00pm. Quiz 7.30pm. Only £12.00.**

**Thursday 25th - Speakers Lunch**

**The lost Aerodrome of Elmswell Suffolk**

Peter McGee and Graham Mack reveal the lost story of our first world war aerodrome on the outskirts of Ipswich.

**Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm. £15.00 per person.**

**Friday 26th - Scottish Not a Burns Night Dinner**

Come join us and celebrate with friends to a Scottish themed dinner and a menu including some of the finest Scottish ingredients found.

**Bar opens 7.00pm. Restaurant opens 7.30pm.**

**Menu only £32.00 per person.**

**FEBRUARY**

**Thursday 8th - Speakers Lunch**

**Phlying with Phantoms**

A Day in the Life of a Phantom Pilot in the Cold war.

Air Commodore Michael Bettell OBE will outline the Soviet air threat and what we had to counter it to defend the country.

Then talk about a typical day for a Phantom pilot training for war.

**Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm. £15.00 per person.**

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**Thursday 15th - Speakers Lunch**

**Suffolk cheeses lost and found from 1300 to today.**

With names such as Bang, Thump and Trip, the story of cheese making in Suffolk encompasses social history, chemistry, ethics and fashion. The presentation tells the story of the journey to find and recreate the lost cheeses of Suffolk. The presentation tells the story of the journey to find and recreate the lost cheeses of Suffolk.

**Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm.**

**£15.00 per person.**

**Friday 16th - Valentines Dinner**

For those traditionalists who wish to treat the one you love by candlelight with a sumptuous four-course dinner.

**Bar open 7.00pm. Service from 7.30pm.**

**£32.00 per person**

**Friday 23rd**

**Call My Bluff wine tasting**

Can you tell who is telling you the truth? Try some superb wine and food to compliment and test your palate against our panel in a fun light hearted evening.

**Open from 7.00pm. Tasting dinner starts 7.30pm**

**£36.00 per person.**

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**PILATES @ THE CLUB**

Every Friday 10.00am.

**Contact our instructor Michael Mann 07702 720980.**

**CLUB SNOOKER**

Come and enjoy a great social evening with fellow members.

**Contact Snooker Capt Allan Williams 01473 274563.**

**CLUB GOLF**

Come and support your club and play in our friendly team.

**Contact Golf Capt Allan Gosling 01473 725962.**

**BRIDGE CLUB**

Join us on each Tuesday morning for a great game.  
9.30am start.

**SCRABBLE NIGHTS**

2nd Tuesday each month for a fun night. 6.30pm start.

**Contact Scrabble Capt Sarah Swallow 01473 658978.**

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**Bookings now being taken. Please note that bookings are only secured when payment is made. When an event is fully booked, you will be reminded to make payment or the booking will be released.**

### SEPTEMBER

#### Tuesday 12th - Scrabble Evening with Supper

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Bar opens 6.30pm with a hot supper (diets catered for).  
Scrabble to follow.  
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#### Thursday 14th

##### Bonhams Jewellery Fine Arts & Antiques Valuation

Free confidential and without obligation valuations on items you may be considering selling at auction.  
10am to 3pm, by appointment only.  
Early booking recommended call 01284 716190.

#### Thursday 14th

##### Speakers Lunch - Bill Tancred

###### An ordinary Olympian but what a life

Bill Tancred is a leading sports administrator, academic and former international athlete and coach. He is a former regular soldier with the 1st East Anglian Regiment and the Royal Army Physical Training Corps. He is also a former International athletics coach to the British team and to the International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF). He was awarded an MBE in 1992 for his services to athletics.  
Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm. £15.00 per person.

#### Saturday 23rd - First Aid Course

A half day course which will provide you with the skills and knowledge to administer emergency First Aid and treatment for casualties in a prompt, safe manner. You may book your staff for this event to cover your business if you wish.  
Start 2.00pm. £60.00 per person payable to Trainer M Mann. Contact 01473 720830 for further details.

#### Thursday 28th - Speakers Lunch Emily Pike on SUEZ

This state of the art Gt Blakenham Energy from Waste facility has won national awards for its design and by producing a huge boost to the power network and reducing our local landfill.  
Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm. £15.00 per person.

#### Friday 29th - Wines of Interest Special Night

Come and taste selected wines from your local specialist hosting this event matched by some of our best cuisine. This is a three-course dinner tasting.  
Open from 7.00pm. Tasting dinner starts 7.30pm.  
£40.00 per person inclusive of wines.

### OCTOBER

#### Tuesday 10th - Scrabble Evening with Supper

Test your knowledge at a great fun evening.  
Bar opens 6.30pm with a hot supper (diets catered for).  
Scrabble to follow.  
Entry including supper is £12.00 with a prize for the winner.

#### Thursday 12th - Speakers Lunch The Company of Pikemen & Musketeers

Ewan Stamp of The Lord Mayor's City of London ceremonial bodyguard, who are former members of the Army Reserve with 17th century uniforms and weapons. They support the Lord Mayor's Show and state banquets.  
Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm.  
£15.00 per person.

#### Saturday 21st - Trafalgar Dinner with guest speaker Capt Richard Channon RN

One of our flagship events this season with a classic British menu flogged out of our French chef to celebrate our historic battle against the Franco-Spanish fleet 1805.  
Rig for officers and gentlemen - black tie.  
Muster@7.00 Post Meridiem. Dining @7.30 Bells.  
£32.50 per person.

#### Thursday 26th - Speakers Lunch London Mounted Police

##### (Part 2 with new visual presentation)

John Hines was a Mounted Police Officer in London, and for 16 years trained horses for members of the Royal family to ride at Trooping the Colour. He also has related stories about senior Royal members.  
Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm.  
£15.00 per person.

### NOVEMBER

#### Friday 3rd - Vintage Wine Tasting

Generous "tastings" of BBR noted vintage wines from around the world selected by our experienced wine committee complimented by a superb menu from our Chef de Cuisine.  
Book early as not to be missed.  
Arrive 7.00 for 7.30pm. £48.00 per person.

#### Thursday 9th - Speakers Lunch

Shingle Street author Tim Miller has in-depth knowledge of the history of Shingle St including the smuggling trade that flourished in years gone by.  
Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm.  
£15.00 per person.

#### Thursday 9th - Collabro Show and Supper

Collabro are the world's most successful Musical Theatre group. In 2014 they met for their first rehearsal above a pub in London and a month later went on to rouse the whole of Hammersmith Apollo into a standing ovation during their performance of 'Stars' for the Britain's Got Talent judges.  
Arr 5.15/30 for Supper. Show 7.00pm. £60.00 inclusive.

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#### Saturday 18th - Supper and Concert

In collaboration with Ipswich Chamber Choir with music by: Howells, *By the Waters of Babylon*. Rutter, *Hymn to the Creator of Light*. Elgar, *Lux Aeterna*. Durufle, *Quatre Motets sur des themes Gregoriens*. Requiem.  
Arr 5.45/6.00 for 2 course Supper. Show 7.30pm  
£32.00 inclusive of Premium seats.  
Book direct at ipswichchamberchoir@gmail.com

#### Thursday 23rd - Speakers Lunch St Audry's David Phelan

The talk covers the history of St Audry's from 1765 when the Melton Workhouse was opened. The Workhouse closed in 1826 and reopened in 1829 as The Suffolk County Asylum for Pauper Lunatics. In 1993 the site was closed and redeveloped for housing, and is now known as Melton park.  
Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm.  
£15.00 per person.

#### Saturday 25th - Supper and Classical Show

Young Gifted & Classical Sheku Kanneh-Mason. This sensational young cellist, a classical star in the making will be performing at Ipswich Corn Exchange and we are offering supper and tickets. Sheku has exploded on the music scene and signed this contract prior to his worldwide exposure.  
Arr 5.45/6.00 for 6.15pm Supper. Show 7.30pm  
£33.00 inclusive.

### DECEMBER

#### Saturday 2nd - Annual Members Dinner

This is the one event not to be missed. Three-course menu fully inclusive of wine and port to open the Christmas season.  
Early booking recommended.  
Members only and black tie please.  
Bar open 7.00pm. Dinner served 7.30pm.  
£50.00 inclusive of table wines and Port.

#### Thursday 7th - Speakers Lunch Stevie Schofield on Cruse Bereavement

This is a charity that will jump in and offer support, advice and information to children, young people and adults when someone dies and work to enhance society's care of bereaved people.  
Pre lunch drinks 11.45. Lunch 12.15pm. £15.00 per person.

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